

## STATE OF NEVADA

Department of Conservation & Natural Resources

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DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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Public Notice Web Posting - 03/13/08

The Administrator, Division of Environmental Protection, Carson City, Nevada is issuing the following notice of proposed action under the Nevada Revised Statutes.

The Administrator has received a complete application for renewal of water pollution control discharge permits # NEV97011 and #NEV96005 from the following applicant:

Washoe County Department of Water Resources 4930 Energy Way Reno, Nevada 89520-0027

The applicant proposes to continue the reuse of Tertiary treated denitrified, disinfected wastewater effluent for landscape and turf grass irrigation at the approved reuse sites, and for construction water and dust control uses covered by this Reuse West permit (formerly the ArrowCreek Common Area and Community Park permit) and of the Reuse East permit (formerly Damonte Ranch and the South Meadows Business Park permits) of the Washoe County Department of Water Resources, in Reno, Nevada. The treated effluent is Class A quality, and is supplied by the South Truckee Meadows Water Reclamation Facility (STMWRF- NEV40024). Monitoring is required to assess the quality and quantity of effluent applied, and to ensure that groundwater quality is protected.

On the basis of preliminary review of the requirements of the Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS), and implementing regulations, the Administrator proposes to issue a permit to discharge, subject to certain effluent limitations and special conditions.

Persons wishing to comment upon or object to the proposed determinations by the Administrator regarding permit issuance or request a hearing pursuant to the Nevada Administrative Code, Water Pollution Control, should submit their comments or request, in writing, or by FAX within thirty (30) days of newspaper publication, by April 17, 2008, either in person or by mail to:

Department of Conservation and Natural Resources Division of Environmental Protection Bureau of Water Pollution Control 901 South Stewart Street, Suite 4001 Carson City, Nevada 89701 Notice of Proposed Action WASHOE CO. DEPT. OF WATER RESOURCES #NEV97011 & NEV96005 Page 2

The request must be filed within the comment period and must indicate the interest of the person filing the request and the reasons why a hearing is warranted.

All comments or objections received within thirty (30) days will be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding the application. If written comments indicate a significant degree of public interest in the proposed permit, the Administrator shall hold a public hearing. A public notice of such hearing will be issued not less than thirty (30) days prior to the hearing date.

If no hearing is held and the determinations of the Administrator are substantially changed from the tentative determinations, the Administrator will give public notice of the revised determinations. Additional comments and objections will be considered at that time.

The application, proposed permits, comments received, and other information are on file and may be copied or copies may be obtained by writing to the above address or by calling lcyl C. Mulligan of the Bureau of Water Pollution Control at 775.687.9432., or FAX 775.687,4684. Copies of the Fact Sheets and Public Notices may be viewed or printed from the NDEP website at http://ndep.nv.gov/admin/public.htm.

Please bring the foregoing notice to the attention of all persons whom you know would be interested in this matter.